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A GRAND SPRING OPENING



AT BICKNELL BROTHERS, LAWRENCE.

LOCAL NEWS.

If you see it in the Townsman, it's news to be relied upon; if it is news and so, you'll see it in the Townsman.

The Andover Band Orchestra rendered music for the dance of the F. I. F. at North Andover Monday night.

Many of the public school teachers have been attending the county convention of teachers at Lawrence to-day.

The mass meeting of Christian Endeavor Societies of Lawrence, Andover, North Andover and Methuen at the Presbyterian Church in Lawrence Monday night was attended by quite a number from this town. Delegates from each of the societies spoke briefly on "What our Society Lacks," and Rev. C. H. Oliphant of Methuen gave a general address on the several needs of the societies, pointing out the remedies and the way they are obtained. Rev. W. E. Wolcott also gave a brief address.

H. C. Hutchins, who for the past two summers has occupied with his family the Dove residence, has engaged Rev. F. H. Johnson's house for the coming season.

William Charnley expects to move his business soon from the Bank Building to the store occupied by E. J. Rowe on Post Office Avenue. Mr. Rowe's business will be continued the same as heretofore.

Miss Harriet Barnard has moved from the rooms over Chandler's store to Ballardvale.

O. P. Chase, who is agent for the Hickory bicycles, has a very handsome specimen of this year's cycle. The wheels are finished in the natural wood and everything about it seems to be right up with other wheels. He is glad to show it to anyone.

Rev. C. W. Duane of Cambridge will preach at Christ Church morning and afternoon next Sunday.

The electric road was well patronized yesterday. The cars were run on fifteen minute time.

The snow yesterday morning prevented the base-ball game between the Phillips team and the Haverhill Gazette.

For the first time in several years there were no union Fast Day services at the South Church yesterday. There was, however, a service at the West Church in the morning and a prayer and praise meeting at the Free Church in the evening.

Congressman Moses T. Stevens has the appointment of a cadet at West Point to name, and has ordered a competitive examination to be held about May 10, probably at Andover, for the selection of the young man to be appointed. The board of examiners will consist of Dr. C. F. P. Bancroft, Percy Parker of Lowell, and Dr. C. G. Carleton of Lawrence.

Abbot Academy opens for the summer term next Thursday, and Phillips began to-day.

The new side-walk on Central Street, beginning from the Main Street end, is a great and much-needed improvement.

The cellar for Daley's Block, next to the Memorial Hall, is well under way. Richard Williamson is doing the work.

Several Andover people, as did large crowds from other places, went to Wilmington Sunday afternoon out of mere curiosity to see what they could of the ceremony attending the marriage of the much talked-about Mrs. Hiller to Henry Hiller, her former coachman. Rev. Father Ryan of this town performed the ceremony at the Catholic Church, a small building. Only a few were able to see this part of the wedding, but thousands were outside and near her house, eager to get a glimpse of the bride and groom. The whole thing was evidently conducted regardless of expense.

The dance given by the Andover Brass Band in the Town Hall Wednesday night was attended by about seventy-five couples who seemed to thoroughly enjoy the order of eighteen dances. The Band Orchestra of five pieces, Chas. Clark, prompter, furnished music.

There was an enjoyable party of little folks at the residence of Joseph M. Bradley last Monday afternoon. It was given by Catherine, Treva, Fred and Edwin Bradley to their friends. Games and refreshments kept them busy in a very pleasant manner.

Allice and Walter Dennison, children of James E. Dennison, entertained about fifteen friends at their home on High Street Wednesday night.

Specimen Cases.

S. H. Clifford, New Cassel, Wis. was troubled with Neuralgia and Rheumatism, his stomach was disordered, his Liver was affected to an alarming degree, appetite fell away, and he was terribly reduced in flesh and strength. Three bottles of Electric Bitters cured him.

Rev. Wesley C. Smith of Weymouth will preach at the Baptist Church next Sunday.

Mary Larned Bartlett, wife of ex-President Bartlett of Dartmouth College, and mother of Samuel C. Bartlett, Jr., of the Andover Seminary, died suddenly at Hanover, N.H., Sunday, at the age of 72 years. She was once a teacher in Wheaton Female Seminary and Munson Academy. She was a woman of a very earnest and decided Christian character, and possessed rare executive force.

The employees of Hardy & Cole will be given a half-holiday on Saturdays, beginning May 1. This custom was adopted last summer, and was much appreciated by the men.

New floors are being laid and other repairs made in the barn of John Cornell on Park Street. Hardy & Cole are doing the work.

A new ell is being put on Mrs. Coburn's house on Central Street by Hardy & Cole.

The public schools open next Tuesday.

Charles Morse has left the employ of J. H. Campion & Co. to accept a position with Howard W. Spurr & Co., the wholesale and retail grocers of Boston. Louis Davis has taken his place at Campion's.

Hereafter, through the summer, the second service at Christ Church on Sunday, will begin at 5 o'clock.

The Whittier estate on Summer Street would be a good investment for some one. It is advertised in our columns for sale.

Upon the recent birth of a son to a prominent leader at Hampton College, Va., the reguilar clerk in charge of the Weather Bureau hoisted the signal for "Local Squalls."

At Probate Court in Salem, Monday, the will of Joseph Scott of Ballardvale was proved, and an administration granted on the estate of Mary Parker. An inventory of the estate of Mary F. Hollingworth was filed, the amount being \$1522.71.

The date for the grand cake walk and ball has been changed to Thursday evening, April 13. At 8 o'clock there will be a concert consisting of jubilee songs and solos. The cake walk will be a 9.15 and the grand march at 10. The Andover Band orchestra will furnish music. Tickets are for sale as follows: Gents 50 cents, ladies 25; reserved seats 75 cents.

E. Francis Holt, who has been a resident for a long time of West Parish, is to occupy the Mason house on Abbott St. He has been appointed to have charge of the grounds, etc., at Abbot Academy.

The Lawrence Eagle has started a boom for Congressman Stevens as the Democratic candidate for the next Governor of Massachusetts.

C. B. Barnard has given up his position at the office of Marland mills and Maurice Herbert of North Andover takes his place.

J. F. Dubord is putting in the cellar for a double house to be erected by C. B. Mason for J. W. Barnard, on his Main St. land opposite the Lowe estate.

Mrs. E. C. Kelley has given up her millinery business, which she has conducted in Carter's block, and accepted a position with Jordan, Marsh & Co., Boston. She can be found at their millinery parlors, where she will be pleased to meet her old patrons and friends.

The tickets for the November Club "Spoon Party," May 2, will be on sale at the next regular meeting of the Club and at the Andover Bookstore next Wednesday.

Superintendent of Streets Lovejoy has begun operations on Locke Street.

The John H. Dean residence on Main Street is advertised for sale by Roger's Real Estate Agency.

The Andover Branch of the Girl's Friendly Society will hold their Easter sale on the afternoon and evening of Wednesday, April 12, at the parish building of Christ Church. Doors open in the afternoon at 3.30, in the evening at 7. Admission 15 cents.

A New York despatch to the Boston Journal this morning says that Rev. Henry Van Dyke returned from a Southern trip, and found awaiting him a call to the Bartlett Professorship of Sacred Rhetoric in the Andover Seminary to succeed Prof. Tucker. Being asked whether he would entertain the call, he said that he had the matter under consideration, but had not yet arrived at a definite conclusion. Vigorous efforts will be made by his church to induce him to remain. Should he accept the professorship, he will still be a member of the Presbytery.

Ed. Shepherd, Harrisburg, Ill., had a running sore on his leg of eight years' standing. Used three bottles of Electric Bitters and seven boxes of Bucklen's Arnica Salve, and his leg is sound and well. John Speaker, Catawba, O., had five large Fever sores on his leg, doctors said he was incurable. One bottle Electric Bitters and one box Bucklen's Arnica Salve cured him entirely. Sold by Arthur Bliss Drug-gist.

Notes from the Hill and Seminary.

Rev. Mr. McLaren of the Seminary has been preaching recently at Boothbay, Me.

Prof. J. P. Taylor, after some months in the South, has returned and resumed his classes at the Seminary.

Mr. Berle of the Seminary preached last Sunday at Tyngaboro'.

E. S. Thomas has returned from a visit to Providence, R. I., where he went to meet his father, just home from a prolonged tour in Southern Europe and the north of Africa.

C. G. Twombly assisted Mr. Bourne in entertaining the Boys' Club Wednesday evening. Under the influence of these weekly meetings, with their varied exercises, the regular attendants are rapidly gaining self-command.

John S. Colby of the Seminary will preach at the South Church next Sunday morning and evening.

Mr. Whipple of the Middle class at the Seminary has been obliged to quit work and go home, on account of an inflamed eye. He is much better.

I. A. Herick of the Seminary has been out several days on account of an ulcerated sore throat.

Rev. J. M. Adams began his pastorate at Rochester, N. H., last Sunday.

Messrs. Baker and McKinley of the Seminary addressed the men's meeting at the Y. M. C. A. in Lawrence last Sunday.

J. S. Colby occupied the Congregational pulpit at Marlboro', N.H., last Sunday, and was invited to return next Sunday.

Rev. F. G. Chutter of Andover has at length declined his call to the Pawtucket Church in Lowell, much to their regret. Rev. Mr. Ross of the Seminary preached there last Sunday, but has an engagement at Worcester next Sunday. He sent G. H. Adalian as a substitute.

The brick house on the Hill, used as a boarding-house for students, is to be considerably altered during the summer and converted into a club-house for the meals of the Seminary men. A. B. Wiggin and family who now occupy it will have the contract to operate it on the new basis.

Mr. Murai, whose departure for Japan the Townsman last week announced a little prematurely, did not start for his faraway home until Monday of the present week. He was given a farewell reception at the home of Prof. Moore, on Saturday afternoon. He bore away many substantial tokens of his popularity. There is every reason to expect that he is destined to achieve a brilliant record among his countrymen.

The volunteer class in English literature, which has met during the winter at the home of Prof. Harris, had the final session of the season last Monday night. Tennyson was again the topic, and papers were read by Messrs. McIntire and Dennison. Subsequently, there was vocal music by the Seminary quartette, and refreshments were served. It was an agreeable finale of a series of meetings that had proved very profitable. The presence of a number of young ladies has latterly added to the enjoyment of these gatherings, and on this occasion they were an important element in the success of the affair.

Christ Church Parish Meeting.

The annual parish meeting of Christ Church was held Monday night and the following officers were elected: Wardens, H. H. Tyler, H. J. Canfield; vestrymen, Geo. H. Poor, H. S. Leach, Wm. Marland, W. M. Wood, Barnett Rogers, B. B. Tuttle, A. Marland; clerk, T. Dennis Thomson; treasurer, J. Tyler Kimball; delegates to the Diocesan convention, T. Dennis Thomson, Geo. H. Poor, H. H. Tyler.

Moses Foster declined a re-election as vestryman, having completed a term of forty years' faithful service.

Through an agreement with the Punched heirs, about \$4500 of the Punched fund becomes available to the church. From this amount it is probable that a necessary sum will be expended for electric lighting and a water motor for the organ.

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Hoop skirts.

Running through Poor's "Researches of the Merrimack Valley" recently, the following passage met my eye:

"In the *Andover Advertiser*, of Jan. 3rd (Vol. IV, No. 47), which its neighboring journals call the spiky little newspaper, is a piece of poetry, with the following:

"If her hoops are very immense," alluding to the fashion, which has been in vogue for about three years past (1857), of the women wearing in the inner skirt of their dress, two or three hoops, six to nine feet in circumference, made of very hard twisted cotton cord, whalebone or ratan. A similar fashion prevailed about a hundred years ago." I looked up the article referred to and found the poem was entitled "Ifs" or, Advice of a young bachelor to a friend intending matrimony. It was rather silly to me, some of it offensive; the young candidate was however well warned against a girl whose "dress does not cover her shoulders, whose hoops are very immense." The signature was "Willowhouse." I should like to know what became of this particular bachelor,—what sort of a creation he selected for a wife finally; but I do not suppose Mr. Draper, the editor of the aforesaid sheet could be induced to "give him away."

From another page we copy:

"A young woman slipped from an abrupt bank of the Spicket, and before being able to recover herself, rolled into the water; pretty fleshy; but her numerous hoops and crinoline saved her. This happened Sunday afternoon, about Aug. 2d."

Hoop skirts and crinoline and hair-cloth do not find favor with women of sense and artistic perceptions. The addition of skirt trimmings and soft hanging folds will be popular; but the day is past when the *demi-monde* belle or the actress of questionable taste can carry a style right over such women as Alexandra of England or an artist like Worth.

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Electric Railways.

The development of electric railways in rural communities promises to be a great thing for many towns which have been left one side in the construction of steam railroads. Electric railways are built at comparatively light cost; they do not require survey or bridge building or difficult engineering, for the highways are ready for them; and they take little account of grades. Running along the country roads, they will knit together scattered villages and parts of villages, and will bring lonely farmhouses, situated several miles from a railway station, into regular communication with the outside world. When New England is grid-ironed with them, as it promises to be, the "abandoned farms" will be cut up into house lots.—*Boston Journal*.

National Highways.

There must be better country roads in all the newer states and in some of the older sections. The railroads with all their service to the country had a demoralizing influence upon the road-making aspirations of the fathers. There has been a steady decline in the quality of the roads of the country as a whole during the past twenty years, and what is worse, the downward tendency is greater and greater. As an investment as well as in justice to man and beast, the roads of the country should be toned up at once, and the good work continued indefinitely. Millions upon millions are being expended upon railroad beds and upon city streets, while scarcely a dollar is being invested in the making of good country roads. As a matter of fact "pike" roads mean more to the country town than paved streets mean to cities. Not one city resident in hundreds drives through the city street upon any ordinary day, while practically every family in a country town keeps one or more horses that are constantly in use. In the city a man rarely thinks of driving unless the day is good, for he has street cars passing near his door at all hours, but in the country he is forced to drive whether the roads are passable or not.

The town should change its methods of road repairing, the country should insist upon better road-making, the state should give a bounty for the best thoroughfare and above all the national government should aid materially in the building of great interstate highways.—*Journal of Education*.

Is a New Party Emerging?

In due time the "reformers" of the party of inertia will be superseded again by the "performers" of the party of energy. It is in the very nature of things. It does not signify by what name either party calls itself. There is a belief in many quarters that the Republican party is about to disappear. The Democratic party, of course, is indestructible, because it rests on a basis of permanent principles that makes it

the natural enemy of every successive new programme of innovation that comes up demanding accomplishment through active governmental agency. Possibly the Populist party is destined to present the next formidable programme which the Democracy must face and fight. Perhaps the Republican party may yet gather itself up and find something to contend for in the line of a progressive American policy that will win the public confidence and favor. Or possibly the Democratic party itself may divide into two camps to which Republicans and Populists will flock according to their individual creeds or interests. Whatever may be the process of party reconstruction, a breaking down of old party lines has evidently begun.—*From the "Progress of the World," April Review of Reviews.*

The Finest Tree Museum in the World.

We hear so much about the Jardin des Plantes, the Botanic Gardens at Kew, and other well-known collections of plants in Europe, and so little about the Arnold Arboretum, that it would perhaps be safe to say that there are not a hundred people in the country who are aware that Harvard University owns the finest tree museum in the world. Boston itself, though the Arboretum is a part of its park system, has hardly waked up to the fact of its importance, and wonders vaguely, like other people, what the name implies, and why the scientific treasure is unique. What is there about this place, where you see just such things along the parkways as you find beside the roads, and just such trees as you find in the woods outside, to make it peculiar and interesting?

It is thus that this extraordinary outdoor museum strikes the careless observer, unaware that he might find here two thousand varieties of woody plants, and a walk for two miles and a half up and down the lines of labeled shrubs without finding two alike.

The differences between trees of the same species are hardly apparent to the ordinary man. He may recognize a blue spruce when he sees it, but it would puzzle him to know in what a white spruce differs from a black, or a Carolina Hemlock from the New England variety. The subtle distinctions in oaks and maples, the innumerable subdivisions of birches, the fine lines that separate families of familiar trees, are all unseen by him. Hardly can he discern a hemlock in a pine forest, or a black birch in a group of beeches. How should he know the worth of an institution whose business it is to tell him about these things? He has never heard of dendrology, he has the vaguest views about forestry as being somehow connected with the water-supply, and his greatest wonder is that anybody should want to know about trees except as furnishers of lumber, or as ornaments of a place or road, comfortable to sit under on a hot day.

That there should be a hundred and sixty acres given over by a college to the cultivation of plants of woody fibre, shrubs, and vines in all their infinite variety, fills him with astonishment

and some dismay. This is not exactly a park, he says, nor yet a garden, in spite of its flowers and fruits. What, then, is an arboretum? and what purpose does it serve? and how does it differ from foreign botanic collections? Miss M. C. Robbins on the *Harvard Arboretum*, in the *Century* for April.

A Book of Outdoors.

"Outdoors" is the title of a refreshing little book which is a pleasure to read. The covers are in ten water-colors, and inside are articles on Lawn Tennis, by F. A. Kellogg; Yachting, by George A. Stewart, successor to Edwin Burgess; Cycling, by Julian Hawthorne; Football, by Walter Camp; Baseball, by J. C. Morse; Horsemanship, by H. C. Merwin; Rowing, by Benjamin Garo; Canoeing, by C. Bowyer Vaux; a collection of authoritative articles on healthful outdoor pleasures, illustrated by Copeland, Beals, Gallagher, Young and Shute. This book, published by the Pope Mfg. Co., of Boston, for the benefit of the Columbia bicycle, contains articles without any advertising in them. Sent by mail to anybody for five two-cent stamps.

Important Measure for No-License Towns.

That was quite an important measure for no-license towns that the house passed to a third reading Monday. Heretofore the withholding of liquor licenses in consequence of a popular vote has been the occasion for a lively express business from Boston bringing liquors under all kinds of disguises. This measure is designed to put a stop to that business. Here is the bill:

Section 1.—All intoxicating liquors transported by common carriers, agents for purchasers or servants of the seller, for delivery in a city or town where licenses of the first five classes are not granted, shall be contained in vessels or packages plainly or legibly marked with the name and address of the seller or consignee, and purchaser or consignee; delivery of such liquors or any part thereof to any person other than the purchaser or consignee named thereon, or to his servant or agent, shall be deemed to be a sale to such person in the place where such delivery is made.

Section 2. Every common carrier shall keep a book, in which he shall enter at the time of every delivery by him of any intoxicating liquor the date thereof, the name and address of the seller or consignee, the name and address of the purchaser or consignee, the place where delivered and the kind and quantity of liquor thus delivered; which book shall at all times be open to the inspection of the mayor of the city, the selectmen of the towns where delivered, to the members of police or license commissions, to the city marshals, the chief of police and the captains of police divisions, and to that of no others.

Section 3. Any person who knowingly marks or causes any intoxicating liquor to be marked contrary to the provisions of this act, or consigns, ships, transports or has in his possession for the purpose of delivery any such liquor not marked according to the provisions of this act, or being a common carrier violates the provisions of section two hereof, shall be punished by a fine of not less than fifty dollars nor more than two hundred dollars, and imprisonment of not less than one month nor more than six months.

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—New Books Added—

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Alger, Horatio, Jr. Facing the world.	714.23
Allen, J. L. John Gray.	1944.3
Ballou, M. M. The story of Malta.	1765.11
Boyd, A. K. H. Twenty-five years of St. Andrews. Vol. 2.	1221.16
Cambridge, Ada. A little minx.	1944.4
Conklin, J. M. Three women.	1944.6
Diehl, Mrs. A. M. Dr. Paul's theory.	1944.5
Eliot, Annie. White birches.	1953.3
Fosdick, C. A. Two ways of becoming a hunter.	1915.4
Gilman, N. P. Socialism and the American people.	1266.8
Gladden, Washington. Tools and the man.	1263.8
Harper's black and white series:—	
Bangs, J. R. Coffee and repartee.	1739.1
Fields, Mrs. J. T. Whittier: notes of his life and of his friendships.	1739.3
Tamura, N. The Japanese bride.	1739.4
Wilkins, M. E. Giles Corey, yeoman.	1739.5
James, Henry. The real thing, and other stories.	1952.2
Kirschner, Lola. A leafless spring.	1944.9
Lewis, Harriet. Neva's three lovers.	1953.4
McDermott, P. A. The last king of Yewie.	1937.2
Moore, F. F. "I forbid the bans."	1944.7
Needell, Mrs. J. H. Julian Karslake's secret.	1953.5
Parton, James. General Jackson.	1747.4
Poole, M. L. Katherine North.	1968.3
Robbins, S. S. Miss Ashton's new pupil.	1944.8
Sarcey, F. Recollections of middle life.	1755.2
Stables, Gordon. Hearts of oak.	1928.7
Thompson, Maurice. The King of Honey island.	1953.2



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"I then lived in Jericho, Vt. In the early days of June I went with her to the Mary Fletcher hospital in Burlington, and there she was treated four different times—a surgical operation each time, one of which left the scars now visible on the eye balls. She recovered from this treatment each time, a slight improvement for a few days, was soon worse than ever. She could not see daylight from darkness, but could not see to walk across the room.
"I next went to a large hospital in Hartford, Conn. At this hospital no surgical operations were performed, but medicine was dropped into her eyes and given her to take. She was at this hospital about ten weeks, continually growing worse, and when I took her in November she was totally blind.

"I arrived at my station in Jericho with the child, sad and in spirit and impoverished in pocket completely discouraged. On our way to the house from the station, we stopped at the store of Capt. McKinnon, who was an old sea captain, to warm ourselves. The captain had known the child before we went away. While we were warming ourselves Mamie said:
"Papa, it's dark, where are you? I can't see you, come to me."

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NEWS OF THE WEEK

Friday, March 31.

Captain Robert F. Clark was appointed by Governor Russell of Massachusetts to succeed William M. Osborne as police commissioner. Associated boards of trade of Boston passed resolutions favoring the sale of railroad stock by auction. George T. St. Germain, who opened a law office at Biddeford, Me., and afterward disappeared, is said to be an impostor. Helen Barry and her company lost their costumes in a fire at Bath, Me.—The Connecticut house passed a bill to grant the Storrs school United States funds—Miss Ida Lewis, keeper of a lighthouse at New- port, R. I., refuses to exhibit herself at the World's fair—Mrs. Herbert Greenfield was granted a divorce at Dover, N. H.—Walter L. Gilbert of Plymouth, Mass., had himself arrested, and will test the game laws—The appointment of Mr. Hathaway as collector of customs at Houlton, Me., is said to be a recognition of the state's Democratic organization. Cases and counter cases of the United States and Great Britain in the Behring sea difficulties were sent to the senate and to parliament—Five white warships of the special service squadron sailed from the Brooklyn navy yard for Hampton roads. The French cabinet resigned—It is rumored that Sir Charles Tupper has resigned as Canadian high commissioner to England—The New Jersey Central railroad was exonerated from the charges of having continued in the Reading combine after being restrained by court—A beggar was arrested in St. Paul, found to possess \$30,000—The Cherokee National council is said to make little progress. Three dories and six men were lost in Massachusetts Bay—The revolutionists in Rio Grande do Sul, Brazil, number 20,000. A ferryboat was sunk off Long Island City; eight horses were drowned—A cable is to be laid between Portsmouth, N. H., and the Isle of Shoals—Superintendent Porter was vindicated by a congressional committee—Colonel Thomas P. I. Goddard of Rhode Island is dead. The completion of the Tehuantepec isthmus road is delayed by severe weather. The 45th anniversary of modern Spiritism was observed in Brockton, Mass., yesterday afternoon and evening by Spiritists from Whitman, Avon and Brockton.

Saturday, April 1.

Galena, Md., was wiped out by fire—Minnesota rivers are becoming unruly—A man was killed by a train at Dedham, Mass.—Gherardi's fleet arrived at Fort Monroe, Va.—American students were attacked by a mob at La Paz, Bolivia—Kaesport, Pa., electric light station was destroyed by fire—The clothing cutters' lockout in New York still continues—Missouri Pacific engineers are charged with conspiring to rob freight cars—Secretary Gresham signed the credentials of Hon. Thomas F. Bayard as ambassador to the court of St. James—The statement issued by the treasury shows an increase of cash in the treasury over March last of more than \$2,000,000. The secretary of the navy made the 25th payment of \$61,750 to Crump & Sons of Philadelphia on account of the construction of the United States cruiser Columbia, formerly known as the Pirate—There is rivalry over liquor raids between the Republican and Democratic officials at Lewiston, Me.—The severity of the winter caused the death of many ponies on Sable island—Richard Healy was held without bail at West Stockbridge, Mass., for the murder of Thomas O'Brien, his brother-in-law—Democrats made a clean sweep in the city election at Eastport, Me.—There is no prospect of trouble over shoe cutters' prices at Haverhill, Mass.—United States vessels are gathering at Hampton Roads for the naval review—J. G. Shanklin of the Evansville (Ind.) Courier is said to have been selected for public printer. A resolution of impeachment against four state officials was adopted by the Nebraska Legislature—Dominion government decided not to ask Parliament to ratify the treaty with France—The unwarrantably large staff and expense allowances of the United States Behring sea delegation may be cut down—A plot to bring about a revolution in Costa Rica is said to have been discovered—Two Chicago boys, one aged 14, the other aged 15, were sentenced to 40 years in the penitentiary for murder—A man who killed Jere Kelly of Boston at Stroudsburg, N. J., was exonerated by a coroner's jury—The Italian steamer Stura is 13 days overdue at New Orleans—Twenty buildings were burned at Galena, Md.—Thomas M. Newson, United States consul at Malaga, Spain, and one of the pioneer journalists of Minnesota, is dead. General Hiram Berdan, inventor of the famous long range funder and rifle, died suddenly at Washington—Esquimaux at the World's fair are suing for a release from their contract—Brooklyn Knights of Labor will not assist the manufacturers' association in their fight against the federation—The loss of the British ship Honorefeld is reported. The crew was picked up and landed in Valparaiso after 53 days' voyage.

Sunday, April 2.

At South St. Paul, Minn., Joseph Hattermark and his 12-year-old son were drowned while out hunting. Their leaky boat sank. Mr. Hattermark reached shore safely but went back to save his son. The wife of W. J. Knights of Dubuque, Ia., general solicitor of the Illinois Central road, lost \$400 worth of diamonds while walking on Michigan boulevard with her husband—Fire totally destroyed the beautiful summer residence of Joe Jefferson, situated on the shores of Battemkill bay, and the family cook, Helen McGrath, perished in the flames—Mrs. Dr. Hiller was united in marriage to her coachman at Wilmington, Mass.—Two men blown to sea in a dory off Portsmouth, N. H., were rescued. Elizabeth Downey, burned while starting a fire in a stove at Fall River, Mass., last Friday, died Saturday night from the result of the injuries—Joseph Dumas, a French lad, 14 years old, when on the track at Putnam Conn., was run over by six box cars. Being small he managed to avoid the wheels, but the last car broke his leg—The Parker house property of New Bedford, Mass., covering half a square in the heart of the city, has been sold to a syndicate with F. R. Sloum at the head, the price paid being about \$100,000.

Monday, April 3.

An insane farmer, armed with a gun and axe, was captured at Bennington, Vt. Mary Learned Bartlett, wife of ex-President Bartlett of Dartmouth college, is dead—Harvard's varsity ball nine is to start on its spring trip—Destructive forest fires are raging at many points in New Jersey—Duke, Sons & Co.'s cigarette factory, New York, was destroyed by fire. Barkentine Maggie Thompson, with all her crew, is undoubtedly lost—The opening of the Cherokee strip is now an assured fact—Speaker Crisp expects the pres-

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BOSTON TO ANDOVER. A. M. 5:55 acc. ar. in Andover 6:57; 7:30 acc. ar. 8:23; 9:30 acc. ar. 10:24; 10:35 acc. ar. 11:30; 11:30 acc. ar. 12:32. P. M. 12:00 ex. ar. 12:50; 12:50 ex. ar. 1:00; 2:15 ex. ar. 3:04; 2:30 acc. ar. 3:42; 3:30 ex. ar. 4:05; 4:05 acc. ar. 5:00; 4:30 ex. ar. 5:05; 5:00 ex. ar. 5:45; 6:00 ex. ar. 6:47; 6:55 acc. ar. 7:51; 7:00 acc. ar. 7:52; 9:25 ex. ar. 10:10; 11:15 ex. ar. 12:02. SUNDAY: A. M. 6:00 acc. ar. 8:00; 11:45 ar. 12:40. P. M. 5:00 acc. ar. 6:14; 6:00 ex. ar. 6:47; 7:00 acc. ar. 8:02.

ANDOVER TO LOWELL. A. M. 7:40 arrive in Lowell 8:35; 8:30 ar. 9:00; 9:47 ar. 10:37; 10:35 ar. 11:05; 11:10 ar. 11:43. P. M. 12:37 ar. 1:07; 2:47 ar. 3:17; 4:25 ar. 5:07; 5:50 ar. 6:17; 7:11 ar. 7:45; 9:40 ar. 10:10. SUNDAY: A. M. 8:33 ar. 9:10. P. M. 12:20 ar. 12:50; 4:52 ar. 5:01; 5:58 ar. 6:36; 7:52 ar. 8:32.

LOWELL TO ANDOVER. A. M. 8:20 ar. 8:56; 9:30 ar. 10:24; 10:55 ar. 11:30. P. M. 12:20 ar. 12:50; 1:00 ar. 1:35; 3:05 ar. 3:42; 3:30 ar. 4:05; 5:10 ar. 5:45; 6:15 ar. 6:47; 6:55 ar. 7:51; 11:50 ar. 12:02. SUNDAY: 8:20 ar. 9:06. P. M. 12:05 ar. 12:40; 5:35 ar. 6:14; 7:30 ar. 8:02.

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*To and from South side.

GOING EAST. A. M. 6:57 Z. N. 8:23, 8:56, 10:24 H. Z. P. M. 12:00 N. 1:35, 3:42 N. 4:05, 5:45, 6:47 H. N. 7:52 H. SUNDAY. A. M. P. M.

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SUNDAY TIME.

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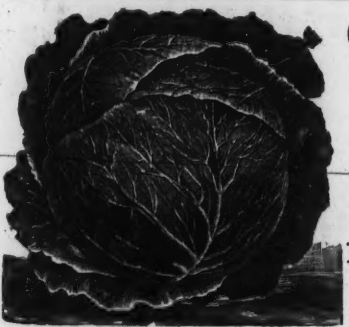
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innovation, but the intrinsic beauty
and propriety of such an anniversary
have at last conquered. This is as it
should be.

After a violent debate, lasting an en-
tire day, the Indian legislature voted
to ratify the treaty with the United
States for opening the Cherokee strip
of the Indian Territory to settlement.
White men will gain admission, it is
thought, by July 1st.

A great strike of carriage-makers has
been threatened at Boston, and was
partially executed. But it has this
week ended, the manufacturers having
yielded and conceded the terms de-
manded by the workmen—fewer hours
for the same pay.

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important or creditable appointment,
since he assumed the reins of govern-
ment this time, than that of Hon. T.
F. Bayard of Delaware as ambassador
to England. His Cabinet we regard as
decidedly weaker than the one which
he called about him when in office be-
fore; and the most of his nominations
to foreign embassies have been inferior
to those of Prest. Harrison. But Mr.
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statesman, worthy to succeed Motley,
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pect the best of results from such a
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Again the Massachusetts Democracy
draws a prize in the lottery of official
distribution at Washington. C. S. Ham-
lin, a Boston lawyer, has been desig-
nated as one of the assistant secretaries
of the treasury. He seems to be a
goodish sort of man for the place, but
with nothing brilliant to recommend
him. His devotion to Cleveland, how-
ever, is sufficient for the purpose.

The residents in Ulster are making
themselves absurd. They double up
their fists and declare that they will
fight if Gladstone's home-rule bill be-
comes a law. They won't do any such
thing. The British Parliament is su-
preme in the United Kingdom, and if
a majority concede local self-govern-
ment to Ireland, Ulster will submit.
All the talk about rebellion is mere
braggadocio, which deceives nobody.
But why should Ulster object to an ex-
tension of the right of self-control to
the Emerald Isle? It is a plain case of
bigotry against the spirit of progress
and fair play; and Gladstone will win
in spite of it.

Desirable Decisions.

Judges Ricks and Taft of the U. S.
Circuit Court in Ohio have rendered an
important decision, affecting the rela-
tions of fraternal organizations to rail-
roads. Some time ago, a strike of en-
gineers took place on the Ann Arbor
road, and Chief Arthur of the Brother-
hood of Locomotive Engineers designed
to instruct the men connected with
that society, on eight roads contribut-
ing to the Ann Arbor line, not to han-
dle freight or cars which would enable
that company to carry on its business.

The officials asked for a temporary in-
junction, to restrain Chief Arthur from
executing that purpose, and the two
judges granted the request. One of
them, also, before whom an engineer
was tried for refusing to do the work
required by his employers, was found
guilty of contempt of court in so re-
fusing.

The general principle of these deci-
sions is that, while any engineer or
other employe of a railroad corporation
has a right to quit work at his own op-
tion, he can not combine with other
men merely to impede and embarrass
the operations of his own or other
roads, by suspending his duties in the

way of a boycott. This will have a
bearing on the country at large, and
will be especially good news for intend-
ing visitors to and exhibitors at Chi-
cago, who have been concerned to
some extent lest the railroads converg-
ing there might be tied up by a
strike during the ensuing summer.
There have been threats of that sort
by some of the hot-headed employes.
If, however, they carry out such de-
signs, they will not only arouse public
sentiment against them, by taking such
an unfair advantage, but they will in-
volve themselves in the meshes of the
law. Capital has some rights, no less
than Labor.

There is a bad tangle in the Seventh
Congressional District. Henry Cabot
Lodge having been sent to the Senate,
the vacancy is to be filled by special
election. Speaker Barrett captured 57
out of 109 votes in the Republican con-
vention, but the opposing men bolted,
formed another convention and nomi-
nated ex-Mayor Hayes of Lynn. The
Democrats, after a long struggle, again
(on the 12th ballot) put up Rev. Wil-
liam Everett of Quincy, who does not
live in the district. The Prohibition-
ists have nominated Rev. L. A. Banks
of Boston. With a split in the Repub-
lican party, Everett would have a good
chance to win—which would be a mis-
fortune, as he is an eccentric character,
who would have very little influence
at Washington.

It looks now as though Bishop Brooks
would be succeeded by Rev. Dr. Greer
of New York. The election will occur
soon.

The French Ministry, after having
weathered the storm of the Panama
revelations, has gone down on a minor
question of legislation, and M. Charles
Dupuy has been invited to organize a
new government. Alas! poor France!
It knows little of the satisfaction of
Republican stability such as we enjoy.

The Behring Sea tribunal, to arbitrate
our differences with Great Britain
as to the seal-fisheries, began its ses-
sions in Paris, last Tuesday. Ex-
Minister E. J. Phelps represents the
United States, so that our interests are
in good hands.

Abbot Academy Club.

The last meeting of the Abbot Acad-
emy Club for the season was held at the
Parker House, Boston, last Saturday af-
ternoon. The enthusiasm of its members
has in no way abated, and the attendance
at the meeting on Saturday was very
large. The leading feature was the ad-
dress by Mrs. George Gutterston (Emma
Wildor, '74) of Auburndale. Miss Wildor
as a teacher at the Academy was very
popular, and was listened to with in-
terest and pleasure by former pupils and
class-mates. Miss Charlotte E. Strick-
land, a former teacher of French, who
has spent four years in Dresden, gave an
account of boarding-school life in Ger-
many.

Mrs. Estelle M. H. Merrill was the
guest of the club, and spoke upon the
subject of "Woman's Clubs." Being
president of three of the largest clubs in
Massachusetts, she can truly be said to
be "at home" on the subject.

The members of the club furnished
the music of the afternoon in chorus.

Many professional as well as amateur
musicians are among its members, and
the rollicking songs of calisthenic days,
with patriotic airs, were sung with a
will.

Farmers' Club To-night.

The Andover Farmers' Club will hold
its next meeting on Friday evening,
April 7th in the lower town hall. Of-
ficers for the next year will be elected.
Subject for discussion, "The Future of
the Farmers' Club. Its utility, objects,
and means of maintenance."

J. F. GULLIVER, Sec'y.

Annual Meeting of the Niotus Club.

The Niotus Club held its annual meet-
ing Tuesday evening at the residence of
its president, J. Newton Cole, on Chest-
nut St. After the reports of the various
officers for the past year, the following
were elected to conduct the affairs of the
club for the ensuing year:

President, J. Newton Cole; vice-presi-
dents, W. A. Trow, H. W. Barnard; G. A.
Higgins; secretary, Miss Bertha Hig-
gins; treasurer, John V. Holt.

At the conclusion of the business, a
very pleasant social time was provided
by Mr. and Mrs. Cole. The club intends
to make the coming season a very enjoy-
able one for its members. Lawn tennis
is the principal attraction, the club own-
ing two fine clay courts.

Deserving Praise.

We desire to say to our citizens, that for
years we have been selling Dr. King's New
Discovery for Consumption, Dr. King's
New Life Pills, Bucklen's Arnica Salve
and Electric Bitters, and have never han-
dled remedies that sell as well, or that have
given such universal satisfaction. We do
not hesitate to guarantee them every time,
and we stand ready to refund the purchase
price, if satisfactory results do not follow
their use. These remedies have won their
great popularity purely on their merits.
Arthur Bliss and H. M. Whitney & Co.,
Druggists.

Easter Sunday.

The weather on Easter day was pleas-
ant but the atmosphere was decidedly
cool. This however did not affect the
attendance at the various houses of wor-
ship, the different services of the day be-
ing very well attended. Special music
was in order at most all the churches and
all had more or less floral decorations.
Below will be found special mention of
some of the services at different church-
es in town:

SOUTH.

The South Church had large congrega-
tions, especially at the morning service.
Prof. Tucker preached two earnest and
vigorous sermons. In the afternoon the
Easter concert of the Sunday School was
held and proved very interesting. The
following programme was carried out:

Song, "There is a Green Hill." Superintendent
Scripture Reading. John 20:1-10.
Prayer.
Song and Exercise, "He is Risen."
Primary Department
Song, "Welcome Happy Morning."
Old Testament truths about Heaven.
Teachings of Jesus about Heaven.
Song, "Lilies Bringing."
Primary Department
Teachings of 4 apostles about Heaven.
Visions of John concerning Heaven.
Responsive Reading. Rev. 7:9-17.
Response, "Gloria."
Recitation, "The Heavenly City." Maud Cole
Song, "Crown Him with many Crowns." Prof. Hincks
Address.
Song, "Jerusalem the Golden."
Benediction.

FREE.

At the Free Church the flower com-
mittee did their work well, the pulpit
being surrounded by flowers and potted
plants. The special People's Easter ser-
vice was used in the morning with an
interesting discourse by the pastor. In
the evening the usual Easter concert was
given by the Sunday School, the follow-
ing being the programme:

Singing, "Ring happy bells."
Responsive Reading.
Prayer.
Secretary's Report.
Recitation, "Keeping Easter Day."
Grace Leslie, Mary Mander
Singing, "I know that my Redeemer liveth."
Class recitations on Who first kept Easter,
how it was kept, how did the Lord keep it, and
why and how should we keep it.
Exercises and singing. Primary Department
Recitation, "O Day of Days the Brightest."
Alex Dundas
Singing, "Hallelujah, Christ is Risen."
Recitation, "Easter Bells."
Singing, "Tell the sweet story again."

After the above according to a custom
established last year with good results,
the pastor with appropriate remarks dis-
tributed packages of flower seeds to
members of the school. They were asked
to raise flowers and to distribute them
among the sick.

EPISCOPAL.

As in the other churches the services
at Christ Church were all appropriate to
this sacred day. The early morning ser-
vice at 7.30 called out quite a number,
and the other services were largely at-
tended. Special decorations, special
music and a sermon full of thoughts sug-
gestive of the day, made the regular
morning service of particular interest.
In the afternoon occurred the children's
service and baptism. Six children were
baptized. This service consisted prin-
cipally of singing and an address by the
rector. As usual each child received a
plant.

WEST.

At this church the services were of
the usual order, the pastor preaching an
intensely interesting sermon to a large
congregation. The interior of the church
was brightened by the addition of many
cut flowers and potted plants.

ST. AUGUSTINE'S.

Here, as usual, Easter was made a day
of special services. The floral decora-
tions about the altars were prettily ar-
ranged and presented a handsome ap-
pearance. Masses were celebrated at
8.30 and 10.30. At the latter Perry's mass
was sung and Rev. Father Lynch deliv-
ered an interesting Easter discourse.
The usual Easter offering was made at
this time. Vespers and benediction at
7.30 closed the services of the day. The
music in charge of Miss Roach was a fea-
ture through all the services.

Garfield Club's Entertainment.

The entertainment given under the
auspices of the Garfield Club, L. L. A.,
Tuesday evening, in A. O. U. W. hall
was very enjoyable to all present. The
doubtful condition of the weather af-
fected the attendance, which was not so
large as might otherwise have been ex-
pected. Although the Club will not de-
rive any financial benefit from it, the
members have the satisfaction of having
provided a very pleasing program. All
those who took part acquitted themselves
in a most creditable manner, and it was
fully appreciated.

The program was as follows: Remarks
by the President, Andrew Campbell;
piano solo, Chas. E. Naylor of Methuen;
song, Seminary Quartette; solo, Miss
Leggett of Lawrence; trio for cornet,
violin, and piano, A. E. Hulme, Nellie
Angus, and Mr. Naylor; reading, Miss
Fannie Meldrum; song, Quartette; piano
solo, Mr. Naylor; reading, Miss Meldrum;
solo, Miss Leggett; cornet solo, A. E.
Hulme; song, Quartette.

Or any other similar epidemic, the blood and the
whole system should be kept in healthy con-
dition. Take Hood's Sarsaparilla to give strength,
purify the blood and prevent disease.

Hood's Pills cure liver ills.

Ripans Tabules cure the blues.
Ripans Tabules banish pain.
Ripans Tabules purify the blood.

Obituary.

Carrie E. Berry, eldest daughter of the
late Dr. Milton Berry, died quite suddenly
at her home on Salem Street late last
night. The cause of her death was peri-
tonitis, and she had been ill about a
week. She was about 35 years old. Miss
Berry was a most estimable lady, and
her many friends will be grieved to learn
of her sudden death.

She was a well-known and successful
teacher, having formerly taught in the
Grammar School here, and lately in the
Reading High School, where she was
much liked, her services being highly
appreciated by the town.

Funeral services were held at her late
home this afternoon. Two sisters, Miss
Dora Berry and Mrs. John P. DeWint,
and one brother, Forrest Berry of La-
conia, N.H., are left to mourn the loss of
a kind and loving sister.

Base Ball.

The Phillips Academy base ball team
opened the season last Saturday after-
noon by playing a game with the Har-
vard Varsity nine at Cambridge. The
latter, of course, won, the score being
12 to 0. Last year it was 24 to 0. And-
over tried all three pitchers, Sedgwick,
Greenway, and Paige, and judging from
their work, the position of pitcher will
be well filled this season. The feature
of the game was Millard's outfield. He
caught six flies, one of which was gath-
ered in after a long run and would have
been good for three bases. Besides the
three pitchers the team was made up as
follows: Catcher, Murphy; first base,
Reed; second, Jennings; third, Allen;
short stop, Donovan; fielders, Millard,
Simmons and Duncan.

To-morrow afternoon the Lawrence
Canoe Club team is scheduled to play
here with Phillips.

Albert J. Kane's Case.

The Boston Globe of Tuesday had the
following news item from New Haven:
Albert J. Kane of Greenwich, charged
with cutting open a United States mail
pouch and stealing its contents was
brought before Judge Townsend in the
United States District Court to-day and
sentenced to pay a fine of \$250. Kane
is thought to be mentally unbalanced. He
is without funds, and may be released on
application and taking the poor debtor's
oath after 30 days.

The facts of the case were related in
these columns sometime ago and the many
inquiries as to how the case was settled
will be answered by the above news.

Frye Village.

Several necessary repairs have been
made at the village school by Abbott
Erving.

Marcus M. Hill is at home on a visit.

Mrs. Hannah Wilson has returned after
a stay of some time at Kingston,
N. H.

Sunday Services for Apr. 9.

SOUTH CHURCH.—Preaching at 10.30. A.M. by
John S. Colby. Sunday School at noon. Even-
ing service at 7.15, followed by Y. P. S. C. E.
meeting.

CHRIST CHURCH.—Morning service at 10.30
by C. W. Duane of Cambridge. Sunday School
at 12. Evening service at 6.5.

FREE CHURCH.—Sermon at 10.30 by Rev. F.
A. Wilson. Sunday School at noon. Y. P. S.
C. E. at 6.15. Evening service at 7.

CHAPEL.—Morning service at 10.30. After-
noon service 4.30. Prof. Hincks will preach.

WEST CHURCH.—Preaching service at 10.30
by Rev. F. W. Greene. Sunday School at 12.
Evening service at 7 in the vestry, also in Or-
good and Abbott districts.

BAPTIST CHURCH.—Preaching at 10.30. Sun-
day School at close of forenoon service. Even-
ing service at 7.

ST. AUGUSTINE'S CHURCH.—Services at 8.30
A.M. and 3.30 P.M. 10.30 A.M. High Mass and ser-
mon.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH, BALLARDVILLAGE.
Preaching service at 10.30 A.M. Sunday School
at 11.45. General meeting for the promotion of
holiness at 7 P.M. Praise and preaching service
at 7 P.M. A cordial welcome to all.
C. H. FULLER, Pastor.

Advertised Letters.

Unclaimed letters advertised April 3, '93.

M. E. A., (2)	King, E. F.
Abbott, Mrs.	Lemming, W. E.
Berry, Louis	Moore, A. N.
Brown, Rev. Shuman	McDuffee, Cora
Burt, Hannah	McPearson, John
Colburn Geo. W.	Norton, E. V.
Cummings, D. M.	Pearson, Miss B.
Carrigan, Jane	Philbrook, Helen M.
Daley, Patrick	Russ, Mrs. Henry
Edwards, Lydia	Stickney, M. Emmr
Farrow, Miss B.	Stevens, Mrs. M. A.
Grimes, A. B.	Sheed, Silas
Haddon, Wm.	Warden, Jennie
	A. MARLAND, P.M.

BIRTHS.

In Boston, April 3, a daughter to Mr. and
Mrs. George R. Carpenter.

In Andover, April 1, a daughter to Mr. and
Mrs. John Killacky of Marland Village.

A Million Friends.

A friend in need is a friend indeed, and
not less than one million people have found
just such a friend in Dr. King's New Dis-
covery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds.
If you have never used this Great Medi-
cine, one trial will convince you that it has
wonderful curative powers in all diseases
of Throat, Chest and Lungs! Each bottle
is guaranteed to do all that is claimed or
money will be refunded. Trial bottles free.
Arthur Bliss and H. M. Whitney & Co.,
Lawrence. Large bottles 50c. and \$1.00.

Abbott Village.

Two picked teams from the Cricket Club were playing yesterday for practice.

Mrs. John Swan of Boston has been visiting friends here.

Remember the Cricket Club dance to-morrow night at G. A. R. Hall.

The entertainment of the Burns Club will be held on Saturday evening, April 15.

A special meeting of the Cricket Club was held yesterday afternoon, at which it was decided to admit boys under 18 years of age at half the regular price and half the regular dues. They will have special privileges, to be decided upon later.

Paint at \$1.25 per Gallon.

Ten gallons of paint at \$1.25 per gallon is \$12.50. Labor for painting \$40. The \$1.25 paint is short measure, one gallon must be added therefore to make ten full gallons of paint. Total cost \$52.50. This paint may last ten years, not longer. In twelve years you will have painted your house four times at a total cost of \$215.00, which is \$17.91 per annum.

Paint at \$1.60 per Gallon.

Ten gallons of paint at \$1.60 per gallon is \$16.00. Labor for painting, \$40. Total cost \$56. This \$1.60 paint, if it is the Chilton, will last six years. In twelve years you will have painted your house twice, at a cost of \$112.00, which is \$9.33 per annum. Chilton paint, as we have said, costs you a little more per gallon at the start than some other paints, but it is cheaper in the end, on ten gallons the extra cost is \$2.25. The saving to you in twelve years is \$103.00. Chilton Paint Co., New York and Boston.

BALLARDVALE.

The Engine Company's ball Easter Monday eve drew out an unusual attendance. There were many present from out of town and it must have resulted in considerable financial benefit to the company.

The Y. L. P. U. cleared over \$45 on their recent entertainment.

Mr. Frederick W. Osborne will return to town to reside shortly. He is one of the principal ones in the new company who will operate the old pottery.

The family of William Crawford will remove this week to Clinton, Mass., where Mr. Crawford has been employed for some time.

Mrs. Nellie Kniffen and daughter are to leave town soon. They will reside in Cleveland where Mrs. Kniffen's brother, Robert Murray, is living.

Through some error the name of Miss Sadie Haynes was omitted in giving the cast of characters in the Y. L. P. U. drama of last week. Miss Haynes had one of the nicest parts in the play and the character was exemplified easily and naturally.

Mr. Daniel Moore and family have removed to Worcester where Mr. Moore has found employment.

H. P. Ladd & Co. will erect a box shop in the pottery yard north of the Craighead & Kintz Co.'s works.

John Colquhoun of the West Parish will start a knitting shop in the third story of the old hat shop. He has moved in considerable machinery and will employ several hands.

At different times since Inauguration Day rumors have been circulated in regard to the postmaster's position, and almost every eligible Democrat in the place has been named as an aspirant for that important position, but if any effort has been made it has been done in a quiet way and your correspondent has not been favored with any definite information. Therefore, it is taken for granted that the present incumbent is perfectly safe in his position. Indeed, there seems to be no good reason why he should be removed. The Post Office is in the most convenient and central location in the village and Mr. Marland's quarter of a century experience should be taken into consideration. A petition has been circulated asking for his retention in office, and has been numerous signed without regard to party affiliation. Convenience of locality and knowledge of the service required should be placed above party feeling, especially in a small place like this.

In last week's issue the article on "Post Office Receipts" was of quite as much interest to Ballardvale people as to Andover proper. Your correspondent has no means at hand at the time of writing to look up the matter, but the law as to the amount of business that an office should do in order to have a free delivery system should apply to the business done in the town, not in the particular office; e. g., if the receipts of the Ballardvale and Andover offices are combined it would, of course, give more than the necessary amount and it would seem as though it should secure free delivery for the entire town. This may not be the case, but the subject would surely bear investigation.

The Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor of the Union Church will celebrate its tenth anniversary next Wednesday evening. President Wm. Shaw is preparing a special entertainment and an interesting programme is assured. Refreshments will be served and every means will be taken to leave a pleasant remembrance of the occasion in the minds of those who attend. The friends of the society and the general public are invited. The local society which was the first one organized in this vicinity is in a most flourishing condition. The average attendance is over 80 and is constantly increasing. Eight of its members have united with the church within a year. The church has been without a pastor for several months and the society has proved a great help to the church during this time especially in carrying on the mid-week prayer meetings, and have conducted a praise service at the opening of the Sunday evening meetings which has led to a marked increase in the attendance. When this society was organized there were only 50 others in existence; now there are 25,000, and societies of Christian Endeavor may be found in almost every country on the globe. The spread of the movement and the growth of the local society has alike been a source of gratification to the members of the Ballardvale society. This society is particularly fortunate in having one for its president who is so well acquainted with Father Endeavor Clark's methods as Mr. Wm. Shaw, the treasurer of the United Society.

LOST.

A Calash was lost at the Old South Fair after the exhibition of the Deestrick School. A reward will be given to the one who will return it to A. S. Manning, Main St., or to the TOWNSMAN office.

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Apartment, furnished or unfurnished, in a new apartment building on the hill. Near schools and electric cars. Terms moderate. Apply at 19 Salem St., or address P. O. Box 394.

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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.

PROBATE COURT.

To the Heirs-at-Law, next of Kin, Creditors, and all other persons interested in the estate of SARAH CARROLL, late of Andover, in said county, singlewoman, deceased:

GREETING: WHEREAS, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court for Probate, by Frank T. Carlton and E. Dudley Freeman, who pray that letters testamentary may be issued to them the executors therein named, and that they may be exempt from giving a surety or sureties on their bonds, for the reasons alleged in said petition.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Lawrence, in said county of Essex, on the second Monday of May, next, at nine o'clock before noon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same.

And said petitioners are hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once a week, for three successive weeks, in the newspaper called the ANDOVER TOWNSMAN, printed at Andover, the last publication to be two days at least before said Court.

Witness, ROLLIN E. HARMON, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-eighth day of March, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three.

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MORTGAGEE'S SALE.

By virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by E. Francis Holt of Andover, in the County of Essex and Commonwealth of Massachusetts, to the Andover Savings Bank, dated September fourth, 1885, and recorded with Essex North District Deeds, lib 88, folio 105, will be sold at public auction, for breach of the conditions of said mortgage, on Saturday, the twenty-second day of April, 1893, at 2.30 o'clock in the afternoon, on the premises hereinafter described. A certain tract of land with the buildings thereon situate in the West Parish in said Andover on both sides of the road leading from the corner near the house of Hartwell B. Abbot, in said Andover, by the West Parish Meeting-house, comprising a large part of the farm of the late Solomon Holt, and is bounded as follows, viz.: Beginning at a point nearly opposite said meeting-house on the westerly side of said road, at the northerly end of the horse-sheds, and running southerly by said horse-sheds eight rods and eighteen links; thence still southerly by said road one hundred two rods and nineteen links to the corner leading to Lowell; thence by last named road westerly and northerly in several courses, one hundred six rods and nine links more or less to land formerly of John I. Nourse; thence northwesterly by last named land sixteen rods and twelve links to land of Hunt; thence northwesterly by land of Hunt to the cemetery; thence southerly by the cemetery five rods; thence northeasterly by the cemetery to a corner; thence northwesterly still by the cemetery to the Lowell road; thence northeasterly and southeasterly by said Lowell road to the point first mentioned.

Also on the easterly side of the first mentioned road, beginning at a point by the road to Andover, and by land of Holt nearly opposite the West Parish parsonage, and running by said road to Andover thirty-four rods more or less to a corner; thence southerly by said road and seventeen links, to a corner; thence by land formerly of Ariemas Brown, southeasterly and easterly sixty-one rods and twenty links to a point by land formerly of Amos Abbot, 2d; thence southeasterly and southwesterly and southerly and again southeasterly in various courses, by land of said Amos Abbot, 2d, and by land formerly of James Abbot, one hundred and seventy rods more or less, to the road leading from house of Hartwell B. Abbot to Lowell; thence northwesterly and westerly by said road one hundred thirty-eight rods and eleven links more or less to the road leading through the farm; thence northwesterly by the easterly side of of the last named road to land sold to Holt; thence easterly and northerly by said land sold to Holt to the point of beginning, the whole containing about one hundred twenty-six acres, more or less.

ANDOVER SAVINGS BANK, Mortgagee.
By JOHN F. KIMBALL, Treasurer.
Andover, March 20, 1893.

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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.

PROBATE COURT.

To the Heirs-at-Law, next of Kin, Creditors, and all other persons interested in the estate of Sarah Smith, late of Andover, in said county, widow, deceased:

GREETING: WHEREAS, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court for Probate, by David Middleton and Joseph A. Smart, who pray that letters testamentary may be issued to them, the executors therein named, and that they may be exempt from giving a surety or sureties on their bonds, for the reasons alleged in said petition.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Haverhill, in said county of Essex, on the second Monday of April, next, at nine o'clock before noon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same.

And said petitioners are hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once a week, for three successive weeks, in the newspaper called the ANDOVER TOWNSMAN, printed at Andover, the last publication to be two days at least before said Court.

Witness, ROLLIN E. HARMON, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-third day of March, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three.

J. T. MAHONEY, Register.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

PROBATE COURT.

To the Widow, Heirs-at-law, next of Kin, Creditors, and all other persons interested in the estate of Wilson Bannister, late of Andover, in said county, wool-dresser, deceased:

GREETING: WHEREAS, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court for Probate, by Maggie Ann Bannister, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to her the executrix therein named, and that she may be exempt from giving a surety or sureties on her bond, for the reasons alleged in said petition.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Haverhill, in said county of Essex, on the second Monday of April, next, at nine o'clock before noon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same.

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Main St., Andover, Mass.

Ladies in vicinity desiring Millinery and Fancy Goods, Worsteds, Rope Linens, etc., will find various articles at very low prices preparatory to reducing stock in some departments; also additions of new Spring goods, with readiness to attend to millinery orders. Attention is called to a variety of handsome hand-painted articles. Stamping, pinking, and Barrett's Dye House orders received.

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BALLARDVALE, MASS.

AN ELOPING PAIR

Join Hands and Shake Portland Dust
From Their Feet.

The Woman in the Case Is Already Married and The Man Leaves Many Creditors to Mourn His Departure.

PORTLAND, Me., April 4.—This city will enjoy a first class sensation in the elopement line when the news leaks out that Charles W. Haverson, proprietor of the Blanchard hotel, has left town, taking with him Fanny, the pretty wife of George Bowker, and leaving behind a long list of unpaid mercantile bills. The injured husband told, in substance, this story:

For a year or more he has had apartments at the Blanchard, and about a year ago the hotel changed hands. Mr. Haverson of Boston assuming charge. After he had been about two months Mr. Bowker realized that a coldness existed between his wife and himself, but did not realize how far matters had progressed until he learned that she

Had a Private Letter Box in the postoffice and received clandestine mail there, as well as having clandestine meetings on the street with Haverson.

He remonstrated with the proprietor and the affair was explained away, but the next day Haverson purchased a revolver, which he was not reticent in exhibiting about the hotel. He dreaded the betrayed husband's vengeance.

A week ago yesterday Mr. Bowker went to his place of business, and when he returned found a note written by his wife. It was couched in the same old language. She had, she stated, found the man that she loved, and, hoping that all would soon be forgotten, she

Bade Her Husband Goodbye. She had hastily packed all of her clothes, and, taking a few trinkets suggestive of happier and purer days, had gone. From a hackman it was learned that Haverson left with her.

The latter is a tall, distinguished appearing man, fully 6 feet in height, and would attract attention anywhere. He was formerly in the Eastern market, Boston. It is said he had an adventurous past, and had to leave Boston on account of a similar episode.

Mr. Bowker met and married his wife in Boston a year ago. She came from Haverhill, Me., but of late years has lived in Boston.

She Was a Widow When Bowker married her, being Mrs. Fanny Delano. She comes from a family highly respected, and this episode will prove a severe shock to them, as it will to the parents of Mr. Bowker, who live in Everett, Mass.

Mrs. Bowker is a handsome, petite blonde, about 30 years of age, accomplished and stylish in address. That she had an admirer in Boston is supposed on account of amorously worded missives accidentally discovered by the husband.

The police have been notified to search for the guilty parties, and various city merchants intend to aid Mr. Bowker in his search.

The couple, it is presumed, have gone to Chicago, where relatives of Haverson live, and a search will be instituted in that city.

Charged With Incendiarism. BIDDEFORD, Me., April 4.—Michael and Jacob Rosenbaum, charged with setting fire to their store March 11, were arraigned in the municipal court yesterday afternoon. They pleaded not guilty. Hearing was assigned to today. The prosecution is said to be based upon evidence furnished by a clerk. The prisoners claim that the store was concocated by the clerk because they recently discharged him. They were unable to get bail.

Satinet Mill Burned. ATHOL, Mass., April 4.—The large satinette mill of D. E. Tebb, at the village of Pine Dale, was burned. The mill, machinery, etc., were estimated to be worth about \$20,000, with insurance of about \$10,000. The insurance was all renewed only last Saturday. The burning of the property will throw about fifty hands out of employment.

Lost All to the Lily. LONDON, April 4.—The new paper, The Morning, states that on the eve of his departure for America, Abington Baird wrote to Mrs. Langtry, "Dear Lily: I made a will yesterday and left you everything." Baird's wealth has been variously estimated at from \$200,000 to \$500,000 a year, and he inherited vast accumulations.

Crushed to Death. BIDDEFORD, Me., April 4.—While Mrs. P. H. Ricker of South Waterborough was driving home from church Sunday afternoon her horse fell. While Mrs. Ricker was assisting him to his feet he fell upon her crushing her to death. She was 53 years old, and leaves a husband and five children.

Injured by the Cars. HARTFORD, April 4.—Morris Mullaney, a laborer, attempted to board a train while in motion and slipped and fell beneath the platform and the train. He was brought to the hospital in this city in an unconscious condition and is believed to be seriously injured internally.

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EVANSVILLE, Ind., April 6.—Harry Delaney, a clerk in a drug store at Morganfield, ruined Miss Oliver eight months ago. He denied the paternity of the unborn child and the law was sought, but the case remained unsettled. Mr. and Mrs. Oliver and their daughter drove from Sturgis to Morganfield and went to the drug store where Delaney is employed. Mr. and Mrs. Oliver went in and told him he could either marry the daughter or die. He agreed to marry the girl. At 3:30 yesterday morning the couple were married. They started to drive back to Sturgis and on the highway, three miles from Morganfield, were met by four men on horseback. The latter were friends of Delaney and they demanded that he be released. On refusal, a regular battle ensued. Miss Abbie Oliver, who would have given birth to a child soon, died yesterday. Mr. Oliver was mortally wounded and death soon resulted. Mrs. Oliver was shot through the arm. Delaney escaped unhurt. Both families are of high standing and sympathy is generally with the Olivers.

BOSTON'S LATEST TRAGEDY.

Thomas Brown Is Suspected of Having Murdered His Mother.

BOSTON, April 6.—A quarrel at 74 Broadway seems to have resulted in the murder of a woman by her son, Thomas Brown, being under arrest for killing Mrs. Catherine O'Meally (the woman had been married twice) by beating her with a side bar of a secretary.

Patrick Sheridan, who was a caller at the home of the Browns, states he and Brown had a dispute and fight, and Mrs. O'Meally interfered. Just about this time, however, Sheridan says that he lost consciousness. He thinks, however, that the woman was struck half a dozen times.

When the police learned of the affair they found the woman lying on her bed, dead. Her face was badly discolored and there was other evidence of a brutal assault. Brown and Sheridan were in the house, and both were arrested—the latter as a witness. The supposed murderer says he thinks his mother probably died of heart disease. He has often been arrested for assaulting her, but she always pleaded for his release. Brown is a widower, with one child. He and his mother have for some years had a picture store in the building where they have lived.

Pronounced Insane. BENNINGTON, Vt., April 3.—Henry Bishop, a farmer living on West mountain, was brought to this village yesterday, and, after an examination by physicians, who pronounced him insane, was committed to the county jail. He claimed to be the neighbors who brought him in that he had murdered his wife and five children, and wanted them to go and bury them. When found by those who went for him he had a loaded gun and an axe, and had he not been persuaded to come to the village would have murdered them all.

The Bath Defalcation. BATH, Me., April 5.—The sensation caused by the first report that William B. Shaw, cashier of the Lincoln bank, was a defaulter, was increased when it was learned that even the largest estimates as to the deficiency would fall short of the facts, and \$60,000 may prove nearer the mark. The defalcations cover 12 years, and, although the bank examiner has devoted the day and evening to the books, he will be unable to say what the entire loss is until two more days' work has been added.

Which Shall It Be? BIDDEFORD, Me., April 5.—The recent endeavor to reorganize the York County Hospital association and amend its by-laws, so that the hospital may be located in this city, has called forth a protest from the Saco members' association. They have petitioned the Saco city council for a grant of a lot in Pepperell park, on which they say the hospital shall be built.

Robbed the Poor Box. NASHUA, N. H., April 6.—Three men broke into the Church of the Immaculate Conception and robbed the poor box of \$10. Chester Maynard, one of the gang who was caught, was bound over in the sum of \$500 to the supreme court. The boot and shoe of F. M. Lund was broken into and several pairs of shoes taken.

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Into the world from far away,
Where the year is always tuned to May,
And the wind sounds soft as a lark aloft,
A conjurer came once on a day.
Many a mystic spell he knew
Wherewith to turn gray skies to blue;
To make dull hours grow bright as flowers,
And tasks that are old turn light as new.
A touch of his magic wand, and lo!
From empty hands sweet favors flow,
And pleasures bloom in lives of gloom.
Where naught but sorrow seemed to grow.
Out of the stormy sky above
He brings white Peace, like a heavenly dove.
His might is sure, and his art is pure,
And his name—the conjurer's name—is Love
—Julie M. Lippmann in St. Nicholas.

After Dinner Speaking.

An after dinner speech should never be wholly facetious, unless the speaker is very facetious indeed and cuts his speech short. It should not be frivolous, even when the speaker is full of frivolity. It must not under any circumstances be silly, though there be people who laugh at silliness. It must not be too long, winded, or highly exciting, or overbearing, or ultra argumentative, or entirely statistical, or in the least rancorous. An after dinner speech should be appropriate to the occasion and delivered on time. It may contain some essential thoughts, some strokes of humor, some scraps of knowledge, some bits of fancy, some sound reasons, some good whims, some green dressing and a little fat.

Every afterdinner man of New York is apt to be an after dinner speaker some time in his life. It is possible that as many as 5,000 after dinner speeches have been made here during one winter season. One man has a record of 10 of them for a single week, three of them for one evening.

We have heard some tiptop after dinner speeches, a few. We have heard others that were wearisome, inappropriate, exasperating, enfeebling or foolish. We have heard several which were rant or drivel.

A good many men have won renown by making clever after dinner speeches. —New York Sun.

Unfortunate Names.

"Well, thank heavens, I am plain Mary Ann again," declared a young woman to a sympathizing friend on one of the cross town cars yesterday. "I do so hate that name—Luella. Missus said Mary Ann wouldn't do at all. She called it 'outre' or something like that. She declared that I must be given some romantic name that would sound pretty for calling. So I have been Luella for half a year, and I'm heartily glad that I left her and am going to Mrs. Northwest's." The other girl gave a horrified look at mention of this name. "But, my dear," she exclaimed, "I worked for Mrs. Northwest, and I know all about her. She has a daughter named Mary, and it will never do for you to be Mary too. She called me Maizie, and she'll probably call you Callie or Susanne or some other ridiculous name." Then both sighed. —Philadelphia Record.

Books Which Are Not Books.

In this catalogue of books which are no books—biblia-abiblia—I reckon court calendars, directories, pocketbooks (the literary excepted), draught boards bound and lettered on the back, scientific treatises, almanacs, statutes at large, the works of Hume, Gibbon, Robertson, Beattie, Soame Jenyns and generally all those volumes "which no gentleman's library should be without," the histories of Flavius Josephus (that learned Jew) and Paley's "Moral Philosophy." With these exceptions, I can read almost anything. I bless my stars for a taste so catholic, so unexcludable. —Charles Lamb.

A Famous Gold Nugget.

On the 18th of August, 1886, a monster piece of gold was taken from the Monument mine, near Sierra Buttes. This giant nugget weighed 1,596 troy ounces and was estimated to be worth \$30,000. The mine was owned by William A. Farish & Co. The nugget was afterward sold to R. B. Woodward of San Francisco, for \$31,686.63, and was placed on exhibition at the famous Woodward gardens. —St. Louis Republic.

An Accommodating Street Car Line.

The street car system of Tallahassee, consisting of one car, is operated by a "nigger and a mule," both of whom live only to please the people. If the car happens to be going one way and a passenger wants to go in the opposite direction, he has only to say so, and the mule is immediately hitched to the other end and the car started in the desired direction. —New York Tribune.

Talking Away From the Subject.

When Frederick Robertson of Brighton, the great preacher who had written much about Tennyson's poems, and for whom the poet had a high regard, first called upon him, "I felt," said Tennyson, "as if he had come to pluck out the heart of my mystery, so I talked to him about nothing but beer."

Men of sense often learn from their enemies. It is from their foes—not their friends—that cities learn the lesson of building high walls and ships of war, and this lesson saves their children, their homes and their properties. —Aristophanes.

The term "tabby cat" is derived from Atab, a famous street in Bagdad inhabited by the manufacturers of silken stuff called atabi or taffeta. This stuff is woven with wavy markings of watered silk resembling a tabby cat's coat.

When rooms are heated by stoves, economy lies in never letting the fire go down in cold weather, as it takes more heat to warm the rooms when the walls are chilled than it does to keep them so for days.

Dogs are not the only animals emotionally affected by music. Cats sometimes show great fondness for playing and singing, though music does not appear to affect them to the point of howling.

A man falls on the icy pavement and breaks his leg; he carries a quart of milk in a tin pail without a cover; he does not lose a drop of it.

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The "Animals' Mass."

"I spent the Christmas holidays in the Cevennes mountains," said Artist Grant Stewart of London at the Southern yesterday. "I was sketching the peasants, and on New Year's eve I was invited to attend the 'animals' mass.' The church is a miserably poor, little lichen covered pile, slowly crumbling to pieces. The old bell in the steeple is cracked and gives forth an unnatural sound. However, on New Year's eve the mountaineers, all dressed in their holiday attire, gather at the little church, and, each one holding a lighted candle in their hands, chant an old Cevenol hymn to the effect that night is more beautiful than morning. Then comes the celebration of the mass. There is nothing unusual about that, but when the 'Ho missa est' is pronounced the priest again raises the host and chants the 'Magnificat' and proceeds to the door, followed by the entire congregation.

"Meanwhile all the oxen, cows, sheep and goats in the parish have been driven before the open portico of the church. As the priest appears the drivers and shepherds fall on their knees and an altar boy goes in among the cattle, sprinkling them all with holy water. Excited by the ceremony, the animals have all risen to their feet, and the venerable cure blesses them. The mass is ended in a loud hosanna, in which every voice—including the bellowing of the animals—is blended, and on New Year's morning the hills are as quiet and peaceful as though the animals had never been blessed."—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

A New German Field Gun.

The new German field gun might be described as an enlarged rifle, for that is what it really is. The ammunition, like rifle cartridges, consists of one piece only. Ignition is produced by a ready fuse, and the four kinds of projectiles at present in use—i. e., shell, explosive shell, shrapnel and grape-shot—give place to a uniform projectile, an explosive shell possessing the combined characteristics of shell and shrapnel. Thus the possibility of a gunner mistaking in the heat of battle one projectile for another will be averted, while the loading, aiming and firing besides being quicker—for the new arm is loaded and fired in one-third of the time required in working the old gun, and the effect and precision are almost double—will be surer and unattended with danger.

The barrel of the new gun is made of cast steel, with a caliber of 8 centimeters, and the total weight of the gun, limber and carriage is slightly less than that of the old artillery weapon. Being lighter, the mobility of the new gun will of course be considerably increased. The limber and gun carriage are made of iron and iron plates. The limber box is open behind near the gun when in action. The advantage of this innovation is that the projectiles can be served out from the limber and ammunition wagon with greater rapidity. Another important feature is that the carriage is supplied with a brake, which counteracts the recoil, the process of loading and firing being thus simplified.—London Court Journal.

When Choosing a Wife.

If I were asked by a young man or a young woman how to be guided in the choice of a life mate, I should, in the exercise of a judgment based on wide and studious observation, say: Choose that person who, after a reasonable period of association, proves to be most companionable. This broad law comprehends nearly all others that can be suggested. It were infinitely better to be single through life than marry one who would not answer to this condition. Speaking somewhat narrowly and selfishly, contentment is the most that can be got out of life, and when a contented couple is found it will also be discovered that they exhibit manifestly opposite characteristics of temperament, habit, taste and physique.

It is upon this fixed foundation that happy affinities are formed. It is an important doctrine in medical jurisprudence that "like cures like"—which is only another way for saying that like kills like—and it is equally true in the social realm that companionship is not felt between young men and young women who are closely similar in general appearance or disposition. On the contrary, it arises and leads to happy unions between persons who are often widely dissimilar.—J. L. Payne in Ladies' Home Journal.

Using the Hand in Counting.

The natives of Erroob and some of the Cape Yorkers of Australia have words for "one," "two" and "three," but for "four" they say "the whole." In western Australia they have words for "one," "two," "three" and "four," while the word for "five" means "the fingers being on one hand," and "ten" "being on two hands."

One author gives a word for "fifteen"—"mehr-in-belli-belli-gudgir-jura-banga," the exact meaning of which is "the fingers on the hand on either side and half the feet." The Lower Murray nations have words for "one" and "two" only; for "five" they say "one hand," for "ten" two hands. Very few Australian tribes can count beyond "four," their terms for "five" merely implying a large number.—Chicago Mail.

Octagonal Shafts.

Speaking of broken shafts, a correspondent suggests that shafts might be made octagonal and hexagonal instead of round, outside of bearings, and a number of sleeves in half sections could be carried to be applied to cover any break and bolted together, which would make a strong joint. The idea seems founded upon solid sense.—Marine Journal.

Trouble in the Play.

"What's the matter?" asked the stage manager, who noticed that something was going wrong toward the end of "Hamlet."

"It's the first grave digger," said Horatio. "He says unless you give him the price of a good meal at once he's going to eat the loaf of bread they're using for Yorick's skull."—Exchange.

INDIANS AS JUDGES.

THEY HOLD COURT IN DISTRICTS OF THE RESERVATIONS.

Some of the Penalties They May Impose For Offenses and Their Fees For Performing the Marriage Ceremony—Fines For Vagrancy.

During the recent discussions of Indian affairs reference has been made to the judicial establishments on the reservations. The obstacles to carrying on there a full system of courts will be apparent on reflecting, in the first place, that a large proportion of the Indians are among the five civilized tribes, who have arrangements of their own under the local governments assured to them, and next, that among the remainder there are many thousands who by taking allotments have become citizens and have passed under the jurisdiction of the states and territories where they reside.

However, there is an existing system of Indian courts organized under the regulations of the interior department, while the act of 1885 gave to the United States and territorial courts jurisdiction of crimes committed by Indians upon their reservations. Recently the regulations for the Indian courts proper have been enlarged, so as to make them more efficient. Among the changes in the new regulations is the division of the reservations into districts, with a judge in each, while there is a court in band for the reservation, having a clerk to keep its records. A reservation may be divided into three or more such districts, following, as far as practicable, county lines, provided that the Indian populations, including mixed bloods and whites, who are members of the tribes, shall be nearly equal in the districts. If there are no county lines, natural boundaries are used, so that the Indians can easily ascertain what districts they belong to.

All the judges are Indians and must be men of intelligence, integrity, good moral character and monogamists, preference being given to those who "read and write English readily, wear citizens' dress and engage in civilized pursuits." They are appointed by the commissioner of Indian affairs for the term of one year, subject of course to earlier removal on proof of misconduct. Each judge must reside in the district and hold court at least one day in each week.

Any Indian engaging in the sun dance, scalp dance or war dance, or any similar feast, so called, shall be punished by withholding his rations for 10 days or less, or by imprisonment for 10 days or less, on the first offense, a second offense bringing not less than 10 nor more than 30 days of withholding rations, or imprisonment.

Plural or polygamous marriages hereafter entered into receive a penalty of \$20 to \$50, or hard labor for 30 to 60 days, or both, and the forfeit of right to rations while continuing in such relations. Other immorality of like nature is punished. The willful destruction of property of other Indians requires the making up of its value and also 30 days' imprisonment, "and the plea that the person convicted or the owner of the property in question was at the time a 'mourner,' and that thereby the taking, destroying or injuring of the property was justified by the customs or rites of the tribes shall not be accepted as sufficient defense."

Intoxication and the selling of intoxicants are put on the same footing, bringing a penalty of between \$20 and \$100 or imprisonment between 30 and 90 days. The founders of the police courts of cities who are accustomed to the \$10 or 10 days of civilization might be aghast at the introduction of these penalties. Among the misdemeanors, a neglect or refusal to perform road duty brings a fine of \$1.50 for every day omitted or imprisonment for not more than five days. Another noteworthy provision proposed in the new regulations reads as follows:

"That if an Indian refuses or neglects to adopt habits of industry or to engage in civilized pursuits or employments, but habitually spends his time in idleness and loafing, he shall be deemed a vagrant and guilty of a misdemeanor, and shall upon the first conviction thereof be liable to a fine of not more than \$5 or to imprisonment of not more than 10 days, and for any subsequent conviction thereof to a fine of not more than \$10 or to imprisonment for not more than 30 days, in the discretion of the court."

This inclusion of vagrancy among offenses punishable by the courts is among the changes in the new regulations. Any one who adopts the practices of medicine men or the arts of the conjurer to prevent Indians from abandoning their barbarous customs is to be imprisoned between 10 and 90 days for the first offense and not more than six months for a subsequent one. The deterring of Indians from following civilized habits and pursuits, or their children from attending schools, is also included under this regulation.

The district court judges have power to solemnize marriages between Indians, the fee for each not exceeding \$1, and they are to furnish certificates of such marriages.

The Indian court in general term, comprising all the judges on a reservation, sits at least once a month, and a majority constitutes a quorum, but any judgment to be valid must have the concurrence of a majority of all the judges on the reservation, and upon a failure of such a majority to agree the case must be tried again at a subsequent term. It has jurisdiction in all appeals from the district court and exclusive jurisdiction over all civil cases between Indians and in the administration of their estates.

It will be seen therefore that the Indian courts are of no little importance, while of course the federal, state and territorial courts also have a jurisdiction which need not be described in detail.—Washington Letter.

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NORTH ANDOVER.

Mr. Charles Stansfield is to remove to the unoccupied tenement of Mr. B. C. Smith on Elm Street.

Past Governor Enos S. Robinson of Bradstreet Colony of Pilgrim Fathers attended the convention of the Supreme Colony at Odd Fellows' Hall, Boston, Wednesday.

Geo. L. Harris has been re-appointed agent for the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals. He has now held this office for nearly twelve successive years.

There were no Fast Day services at the Congregational, Methodist Episcopal, or at St. Paul's Church, contrary to the usual custom.

The Selectmen meet Monday at the Village office.

The Y.P.S.C.E. Societies of Lawrence, Andover, North Andover, Methuen and Ballardvale held a union meeting at the Presbyterian Church, Lawrence, Monday evening.

Rev. Wm. R. Campbell of Roxbury will preach at the Congregational Church next Sunday. Rev. Mr. Campbell, it may be remembered, supplied the pulpit one Sunday last August.

The annual parish meeting of the Congregational Church, for the election of officers, will be held Monday evening.

A petition to establish an electric arc, or other light, at the corner of Middlesex and Third Streets has been received by the Selectmen. It is signed by nine citizens residing in that vicinity.

Rev. T. O. Martin is attending conference at Holyoke this week, and is expected home the first of next week. Although Rev. Mr. Martin expects to leave his parish in town, yet nothing will be definitely settled until after Conference.

The Selectmen have decided to grant the location of electric lights in accordance with the petition presented some time ago.

At the parish meeting of St. Paul's Church, Monday evening, the following officers were chosen: Senior warden, Dr. W. J. Dale; junior warden, J. D. W. French; treasurer, Charles Robinson; clerk, Jonas Eastwood; vestrymen, Abraham Kershaw, Joseph Tempest, Solomon Watson, A. G. Toothaker, John Wrigley.

Chief-of-Police Robinson has called a meeting of the elected and special police, to be held at the Selectmen's Office this evening at 7.30 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. Benj. Goss have removed to Methuen. Mr. and Mrs. Goss have been among the most active workers in the M. E. Church during their brief residence in town, and their absence will be keenly felt.

Mr. George Rextrow is now engaged in the white-washing, painting, and paper-hanging business.

The Selectmen have awarded James Patterson of Methuen, whose furniture was overturned during a snow storm several weeks ago, \$15 as an equivalent for damage sustained. James Chambers, who was employed in removing the furniture, claimed \$75, but he received no satisfaction.

The fire engineers will be appointed some time this month.

Mr. George C. Sauer, secretary of the Y. M. C. A. of Lawrence, and Mr. L. B. Bouchard, missionary to the French in that city, will participate in the services at the M. E. Church, Sunday morning, in the absence of Rev. T. C. Martin.

Mr. and Mrs. Foster of North Billerica passed Easter Sunday with Mr. E. W. Greene.

Mr. Wm. Fernald spent Fast Day with friends in Boston.

A man who claims to belong in the vicinity of Salem, N.H., was arrested by Officer Chalk, and was temporarily detained in the police station Wednesday night.

The bill before the Legislature to obtain the town's supply of water from Lake Cochichewick came up this week, and was passed to be engrossed.

A slight fire on the roof of the house of Chas. H. Butterfield on Salem Street was discovered Tuesday morning. The fire, which was caused by a defective chimney, was extinguished before causing much damage.

The 9 o'clock electric car jumped the track near the end of the route at the Centre last Friday night and the assistance of two motors was necessary to get it in place again. It was midnight before it was accomplished.

Mr. Charles Kimball, a native of this town, and son of the late Thomas H. Kimball, died in Boston last week; his interment took place in Ridgewood cemetery in the family lot last Friday evening. Prayer was offered at the grave by Rev. Charles Noyes.

Mr. Nat. Foster has leased the house owned by the late Mrs. Wolger, and moved there last Tuesday.

The society connected with the Congregational Church, which has done so much good work, and still continues in aiding in a quiet way many deserving families about our village, hitherto known as the Ladies Improvement Society, held its meeting last week at Mrs. William Elvey's, Pleasant Street, Thursday afternoon. On that occasion of meeting, its members and friends, desiring to show their friendly spirit, presented Mrs. H. H. Leavitt, a former president of the Society, with a very neatly made and handsome quilt, as a token of remembrance. It contained sixty-four squares, each square being inscribed with the name of its donor or maker. About twenty-five of the members of the Society of which Mrs. S. H. Furber is president and Mrs. F. W. Eaton, vice-president, were photographed in a group by Leck, and this picture at Mrs. Leavitt's request was given to her. This Society, which combines literary work with its charitable deeds, deserves encouragement.

Mr. Dennis Keefe, a well-known resident of town for thirty years, died at his home on Maple Avenue last Friday at the age of 58 years. Mr. Keefe was taken ill with pneumonia, which terminated fatally in five days. Deceased was born in Ireland, and came to this country about thirty-seven years ago. For about twenty years he was employed as gardener by Mr. Stone, and previous to his last sickness was employed at the Davis & Furber Machine Works. Mr. Keefe was a man of good principles, courteous in manner, and of a kindly disposition. He leaves four sons and one daughter; also a father, one brother, and three sisters. Funeral services were held at St. Michael's Church, Monday morning at nine o'clock. Rev. Fr. McManus officiating at the solemn requiem of high mass. The bearers were Messrs. Cornelius Mahoney, David Willis, James Morgan, James Murphy, Ezra Carter and John Carter. The floral tributes were a wreath and a basket of flowers, Mr. Jos. H., and Mrs. J. M. Stone, and a pillow from Miss Mary Morgan.

Rev. Mr. Leavitt's Reception.

Very few persons known to be in any way associated with, or interested in, the affairs of the Congregational Church, neglected the opportunity to attend the gathering in honor of Rev. and Mrs. H. H. Leavitt, given Friday evening at their church home. No occasion of purely social amenity has ever called together a larger assembly and the concourse of friends was no less warm and cheerful in the proffering of greetings during the early evening, than they were sad and regretful when the time arrived for last words of farewell.

From the people there was no lack of sincere appreciation of what the pastor and his most amiable wife had been to them, and very many realized the decidedly personal loss which their withdrawal would cause, and this feeling was reciprocal. Other than those in town, many former parishioners were present from Andover, Lawrence and Methuen.

The near friends of the pastor desiring that their tributes of esteem and affection should be emphasized in a substantial manner, selected Frank W. Frisbee, Esq., at the proper moment to offer with fitting words, a purse in token of appreciation and love. Mr. Leavitt responded with a depth of feeling saying that he needed nothing of such a character to impress upon him their love. That he did not go because he wished to, but because he felt it his duty to go, that he felt that he could do better work elsewhere, but he added, "This people will always be mine, and I shall always be yours." In their occasions for joy or sorrow, if by his presence he could in any way do sought for his people, he desired that until another pastor should be settled here, that they would not hesitate to call upon him. The pastor's kindly words of parting were received with a deep hush of sadness and the thought of his departure from among us caused many tears of sorrow.

During the evening the following programme was given: Piano duet: Misses Stillings and Baldwin; reading, Miss Alexa G. Saunders; song, Miss Saunders; piano solo, Miss Marston; solo, Mr. Edw. Butterworth; song, Mrs. Hathorn. Dainty refreshment was then served to all present. The pleasing manner in which the affair was conducted is due to the efforts of Miss Anna M. Tucker, Mrs. Frank Drew, Mrs. A. D. Moulton, Mrs. Edward Butterworth, Miss Helen C. Sargent, Messrs. E. W. Moody and G. E. Hathorn. The tasteful arrangement of palms and bouquets of cut flowers contributed to the cozy appearance of the rooms. Mrs. A. D. Moulton, Mrs. A. W. Field and Miss Saunders presided at the tables at which cocoa was served. The pleasant social gathering will long be remembered and the kindly words and deeds of the pastor and his wife, always.

Easter Concerts.

METHODIST CHURCH.

The Easter concert in the auditorium of the M. E. Church last Sunday evening, under the direction of Supt. Markey, proved thoroughly enjoyable, in every respect, to the large number present. The decorations consisted of groups of beautiful potted plants artistically arranged about, and in front of, the rostrum. The exercises were opened by a march in which the children of the Sunday School joined, Miss Edith M. Clark presiding at the organ. The following programme was then rendered: Anthem by the choir; scripture reading, Mr. A. W. Brainerd; prayer, Rev. T. C. Martin; singing, "Ring, Happy Bells"; introductory remarks, Allie Badger; recitation, Daisy and Alice Markey; singing, "O glorious Easter morning"; reading, Mrs. Martin; exercise, Mrs. Markey's class; singing, "Wake, Prisoners, Wake"; recitation, George Gile; exercise, "Song of Easter," Tiny Littlefield, Fanny Sanborn, Fred Gile, John Clapperton; recitation, Burtis Brown; singing, "Tell the sweet story again"; recitation, Thomas Clapperton; exercise, two girls and two boys; scripture reading, C. W. Dillon; singing, "Thou art the Way" recitation, Ethel Walker; exercise, Mrs. Goss's class; recitation, Violet Dick; singing, "Christ is Risen"; recitation, Tiny Littlefield; recitation, May Groesbeck; singing, "Little Lamb of Jesus"; recitation, Marion Paul; recitation, Hannah D. Brierley; singing, "I know that my redeemer liveth"; remarks, by Supt. Markey; "review and outline of Church Work," Helen Gile; singing, "Ring out the Bells"; remarks by the pastor; singing, "Crown him Lord of all"; benediction, by pastor.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH.

The Easter services at the Congregational church were not so well attended as usual. Palms, calla lilies and other potted plants together with a large basket of cut flowers formed the decorations. Owing to the illness of the superintendent of the Sabbath School, Mr. D. W. Carney, the exercises at the concert were conducted by the assistant superintendent. Prayer was offered by Rev. Edwin Smith of Bedford; recitations were given by Misses Maggie Baxter, Grace Downing, Nellie Stromblad, Annie Duncan, Minnie Stevens, Lucy Prescott, Bertha Davis, and a class of children. The songs, responses, and in fact the whole programme was carried out according to "a coral service" arranged in pamphlet form. A collection was taken for Rev. Mr. Gray of South Dakota.

Obituary.

Death, by pneumonia, removed from our midst, last week, the once familiar figure of Apollos Perkins. He was stricken with the disease Monday, March 27, and died the following Saturday at noon.

Mr. Perkins was born in Brockton 62 years ago, and from that place came to this town in 1859 and has since resided here. For several years subsequent to 1860 he was employed by Davis & Furber in setting up their machinery, and was well known to manufacturers in the New England and other states. He afterward became a partner with D. Erank Robinson of Lawrence in the manufacture of card clothing, and later he was engaged as travelling agent for White & Co. of Leicester.

He was a member of Mt. Sinai, R. A. Chapter and Bethany Commandery of Knights Templar.

The funeral services in charge of Bethany Commandery were held at the family home on Church Street, Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Deceased leaves a widow and one son, Mr. George H. Perkins of Springfield, and a sister, Mrs. Sarah Kendrick of Brockton also survive him. Rev. Wm. E. Gibbs of the Universalist Church, Lawrence, officiated at the services. Burial was in the family lot at Ridgewood Cemetery. The floral tributes were given by the following: wreath, from the family; star, from his little grandson; easter lilies, Mrs. Eliza Phelps; cross and crown, Bethany Commandery; mound of flowers, Mr. John A. Wiley; The bearers were Sir Knights A. A. Currier, T. J. McClary, H. R. Chapman, J. E. Russell, Wm. S. Paisley, and James Bean.

While Mr. and Mrs. J. G. and Mrs. Geo. C. Chadwick were attending the social gathering in the Congregational Church, Friday evening, their horse and a two-seated carriage was taken from the adjacent sheds. It was at first thought that the horse and carriage were taken in sport but as the week has passed and no trace of either has been discovered it is evident that they were stolen. The horse was described as a bay with black points and a spiked tail. Several other horses and carriages were in the sheds at the time but this was the only two-seated carriage. The matter has been placed in the hands of a competent detective.

Rev. George Walker Resigns.

At the parish meeting of St. Paul's Church, Monday evening, the letter of resignation of Rev. Geo. Walker was presented. Rev. Mr. Walker assumed charge of his pastorate Feb. 2d, 1888, and has consequently been for five years among us. Previous to this he was settled in Peabody where he remained for 13 years. Mr. Walker considers that his work in his present parish is completed and he desires another field of labor. The resignation will take effect on the first of July next. The meeting of the parish to take action concerning the resignation will be held Monday evening.

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